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In re Patent Application of:
Roger ALCALY

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For: A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
GENERATING AN INDEX FOR
INVESTMENT RETURNS

Examiner: D. S. Felten

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated August 26, 2004, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.